TAXABLE YEAR 1999

# **Underpayment of Estimated Tax by Farmers and Fishermen**

CALIFORNIA FORM

5805F

Name(s) as shown on return		Your social security number
Da	rt I Figure Your Underpayment	
	1999 tax after credits from Form 540, line 34; Form 540NR, line 43; or Form 541, line 25	1
	1999 tax on lump-sum distributions from Form 540, line 23; Form 540NR, line 26; or Form 541, line 21b	
	Subtract line 2 from line 1	
	Multiply line 3 by 66 <sup>2</sup> / <sub>3</sub> % (.6667)	
	1999 withholding taxes from Form 540, line 38 and line 41; Form 540NR, line 47 and line 50; or Form 541, line 28	
	Subtract line 5 from line 3. If less than \$200 (\$100 married filing separate), <b>STOP</b> . You do not owe a penalty	
	1998 tax after credits from Form 540, line 34; Form 540NR, line 43; or Form 541, line 25	
	1998 tax on lump-sum distributions from Form 540, line 23; Form 540NR, line 26; or Form 541, line 21b	
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	Enter the smaller of line 4 or line 9	10
11	1999 withholding taxes and estimated tax payments made on or before January 15, 2000, from Form 540,	
	line 38, line 39 and line 41; Form 540NR, line 47, line 48 and line 50; or Form 541, line 28 and line 30	11
12	Underpayment. Subtract line 11 from line 10. If zero or less, you do not owe a penalty	12
Pa	rt II Figure Your Penalty	
13	Enter the date the amount on line 12 was paid or April 15, 2000, whichever is earlier	13
	Number of days after January 15, 2000, to and including the date on line 13	
	Note: If you are a calendar year taxpayer and made no estimate payment, enter 91 days.	
15	Penalty: $\frac{\text{Number of days on line 14}}{366}$ x .08 x underpayment on line 12. Enter the result here. If you are requesting	ng
	a waiver, go to line 16. Otherwise, enter this amount on form 540, line 64; Form 540NR, line 73; or Form 541, line 39.	
	Also fill in the circle on that line to show that form FTB 5805F is attached to the return	15
16	To request a waiver, check the box on this line and provide an explanation below. See General Information E	16 🔲

Attach this form to the front of your Form 540. Form 540ND, or Form 541, even if you do not own a populty

Important: Attach this form to the front of your Form 540, Form 540NR, or Form 541 on top of all forms, schedules, and attachments, even if **you do not owe a penalty**. This helps the Franchise Tax Board identify you as a farmer or fisherman and correctly process your tax return.

## **General Information**

### **Purpose**

Use Part I of form FTB 5805F to determine if you, as a farmer or fisherman, paid the required amount of estimated tax. Use Part II to compute your estimate penalty if you did not pay enough estimated tax.

#### Qualifications

You are a farmer or fisherman when at least twothirds of your 1998 or 1999 gross income is from farming or fishing. If you need help determining your gross income, get Internal Revenue Service Pub. 505, Tax Withholding and Estimated Tax.

If you determine that you are not a farmer or fisherman, do not use this form. Instead, use form FTB 5805, Underpayment of Estimated Tax by Individuals and Fiduciaries, to determine if you owe an estimate penalty.

## Required Estimate Payment

If you are a farmer or fisherman, you are required to make an estimated tax payment of 662/3% of your 1999 tax or 100% of your 1998 tax. whichever is less. If you are a calendar year taxpayer, your payment is due January 15, 2000. If you are a fiscal-year taxpayer, your payment is due

the 15th day of the 1st month after the close of your taxable year.

## **Exceptions to the Penalty**

You do not owe a penalty for 1999 if:

- 1. You file your 1999 tax return and pay the full amount of tax due by March 1, 2000; or The tax for 1998, after credits (Form 540, line
- 34 less the tax on lump-sum distributions included on line 23 and less line 38 and line 41; Form 540NR, line 43 less the tax on lump-sum distributions included on line 26 less line 47 and line 50; or Form 541, line 25, less the tax on lump-sum distributions included on line 21b and less line 28), was less than \$200 (\$100 if
- married filing a separate return); or 3. The tax for 1999 (from line 6) is less than \$200
- (\$100 if married filing a separate return); or 4. 80% or more of the tax (excluding tax on lumpsum distributions) for 1998 or 1999 was paid by withholding; or
- 5. 80% or more of the California adjusted gross income reported on your 1999 tax return consisted of wages subject to withholding; however, this provision does not apply if a false or fraudulent withholding exemption certificate was filed; or
- You had no tax liability for 1998 and your 1998 tax return was for a full 12 months (or would have been had you been required to file). You need not have had income in each month.

## Waiver of the Penalty

All or part of the penalty for underpayment may be waived if:

You underpaid the estimated tax because of a casualty, disaster, or other unusual circum-

- stance and it would be inequitable to impose the penalty; or
- In 1998 or 1999, you retired after age 62 or became disabled and your underpayment was due to reasonable cause.

- To request a waiver you must:

  Complete form FTB 5805F through line 15 without regard to the waiver. Write the amount you want waived in parenthesis on the dotted line next to line 16. Subtract this amount from the total penalty you figured without regard to the waiver, and enter the result on line 16; Check the box on line 16;
- Below line 16, explain why you are requesting a waiver of the estimate penalty. If you need more space, attach a statement;
- Enter the amount, if any, from line 16 on Form 540, line 64; Form 540NR, line 73; or Form 541, line 39 and fill in the circle on that line: and
- Attach form FTB 5805F to the front of your return on top of any check, money order, Form W-2, Form 1099, or other special documentation.

#### Amended Returns

If you file an amended return by the due date of your original return, use the amounts shown on your amended return to figure your underpayment. If you file an amended return after the due date of your original return, use the amounts shown on the original return.

Exception: If you and your spouse file a joint return after the due date to replace separate returns you originally filed by the due date, use the amounts shown on the joint return to figure your underpayment. This rule applies only if both original separate returns were filed on time.